

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF ARIZONA 230 NORTH FIRST AVENUE, SUITE 101 PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85003-1706 (602) 682-4000

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Notice

Bankruptcy Court Fee Schedule Increases Effective November 1, 2011

At the Court Administration and Case Management Committee's June 2011 meeting, the Committee recommended adjusting miscellaneous fees for inflation (compounded), noting that it had been eight years since they were last adjusted. The recommendations were sent to the Judicial Conference, and, at its September 2011 session, the Judicial Conference approved changes to the miscellaneous fee schedules for the courts of appeal, district courts, bankruptcy courts, the Court of Federal Claims, and the Judicial Panel on Multidistrict Litigation, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1913, 1914, 1930, 1926, and 1932, respectively. These changes will become effective November 1, 2011, and the chart below details the various bankruptcy miscellaneous fee changes. The revised schedule of fees is also available on the court's web site at http://www.azb.uscourts.gov. Select, Court Information, Filing Fees and the link "Fee changes effective November 1, 2011" will take you to the updated chart.

Bankruptcy Court Fee Schedule Changes (28 U.S.C. § 1930)

		Current Fee	Approved New Fee
Item No. 2:	Certification/ Exemplification	\$9.00 \$18.00	\$11.00 \$21.00
Item No. 3:	Audio Recording	\$26.00	\$30.00
Item No. 4:	Amended Bankruptcy Schedules	\$26.00	\$30.00
Item No. 5:	Record Search	\$26.00	\$30.00
Item No. 6:	Adversary Proceeding Fee	\$250.00	\$293.00
Item No. 7:	Document Filing/Indexing	\$39.00	\$46.00
Item No. 8:	Title 11 Administrative Fee*	\$39.00	\$46.00
Item No. 12:	Record Retrieval Fee	\$45.00	\$53.00
Item No. 13:	Returned Check Fee	\$45.00	\$53.00
Item No. 14:	Notice of Appeal Fee/ Direct Appeal Fee**	\$250.00 \$200.00	\$293.00 \$157.00
Item No. 19:	Lift/Stay Fee	\$150.00	\$176.00

^{*}The administrative fee is a part of the total fees due when filing a case under Title 11 or when filing a motion to divide a joint case under Title 11. Therefore, the total fees due will increase by \$7.00 when filing a new petition.

^{**}The approved increase in the notice of appeal fee necessitates that the supplemental direct appeal fee be reduced to ensure that the total fee for filing a direct appeal does not exceed the established appellate filing fee of \$450.00.